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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

This Request For Reconsideration is submitted in response to the Advisory Action dated August 13, 2004 which was issued in response to the Request for Reconsideration filed on July 26, 2004 which was responsive to an Advisory Action dated May 20, 2004. A Notice of Appeal was filed on July 2, 2004. A petition for a one month extension of time is filed concurrently herewith. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the remarks that follow.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.